

Tennessee State Library & Archives

LETTERS OF THE TENNESSEE GOVERNORS WILLIAM BLOUNT : 1790 - 1795

Folder 1

NAME	YEAR	PLACE	INCOMING OUTGOING	SUBJECT
NA	1790	NG	Out	Appoints Archibald Mahan Ensign of Tennessee County Militia Regiment
NA	1790	NG	Out	Appoints John Donelson Esquire Justice of the Peace in Davidson County
NA	1791	NG	Out	Appoints [blank] Major of Mero District Cavalry
NA	1792	NG	NA	Form letter for appointment to Mero District Cavalry
NA	1793	Knoxville	Out	Ordinance authorizing an election of Territorial Representatives
NA	1793	Knoxville	Out	Ordinance authorizing and detailing procedures for an election of Territorial Representatives
NG	1790	Washington County	Out	Relays circumstances on arrival in Territory South of the River Ohio [Tennessee]
NG	1793	Colonel Roddey's	Out	Briefing on election of Representatives
[Smith, Daniel (General)]	1793	Knoxville	Out	Updating and instructing Smith concerning affairs of the territory

Smith (Gen.)	1791	Mr. Greenway's near Abingdon	Out	Gives directions concerning correspondence delivered by Colonel Campbell
Smith (Gen.)	1793	Withe County	Out	Advice concerning distribution of arms
Smith (General)	1792	Knoxville	Out	Briefing on Indian Peace Treaty negotiations
Smith (General)	1792	Knoxville	Out	Gives directions concerning enclosed papers
Smith (General)	1793	Greenway's	Out	Instructions relating to enclosed letters and actions to be taken concerning representatives of the Cherokee Nation
Smith (Secretary)	1792	NG	Out	Request for a countersign on appointment of Andrew McNairy to succeed David Allison as Clerk of Mero District
*NA	1793	Knoxville	Out	States that letters from Robertson were received and messenger Jonathan Phillips to be paid sixteen dollars for services
*Doherty (Colonel)	1794	Knoxville	Out	Order to muster and outfit 16 militia men
*Henl[e]y, David (Colonel)	1793	Knoxville	Out	Requesting specifications for keeping records of the purchasing agent for Indian Affairs
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1794	Knoxville	Out	Forwards a copy of orders sent to Colonel James White to discharge militia men
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1794	Knoxville	Out	Forwards copies of orders sent to Colonels Doherty and Kennedy
*Kennedy (Colonel)	1794	Knoxville	Out	Order to muster and outfit 33 militia men

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NA	1794	Knoxville	Out	Proclamation appointing time and place for the Territorial General Assembly to convene
NA	1794	Knoxville	Out	Appoints John Davis a Lieutenant in the Davidson County Infantry
NA	NG	NG	Out	Address to the General Assembly
NG	1794	Knoxville	Out	News from Knoxville
Almand, Harrison	[?]	Suffolk, VA	In	Requests information on viability of constructing ships in Nashville
Grant, James (Major)	1797	Philadelphia, PA	Out	News of land speculation partners Morris, Nicholson, and Allison and other financial matters
Sevier (Governor)	1798	NG	Out	Advises Sevier on the date to hold next session of the Tennessee General Assembly and other government matters
Sevier (Governor)	1798	Knoxville, TN	Out	Informs Sevier that Andrew Jackson will not accept position as Judge if doing so will exclude his friends from consideration
Smith (General)	1794	Knoxville	Out	Informing Smith of the arrival of his son
Smith (General)	1794	Knoxville	Out	Briefing of developments in Indian affairs
Smith (General)	1795	Knoxville	Out	News from Knoxville
Smith (General)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Offer of two slaves to cover a bond

Smith (General)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Comments on John Jay's treaty with Britain and praises Smith's son, George
Smith, Dan. (Secretary)	1794	Knoxville	Out	Request for countersignature on appointments for Collectors of Taxes
Territorial House of Representatives	1794	Knoxville	Out	Dismisses the General Assembly until the next session
Territorial House of Representatives	NG	NG	Out	Forwarding communication from Blount
*Chisolm, John (Capt.)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Request for estimate of cost incurred in maintaining and outfitting four Chickasaw delegates
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Request that delegates from the Chickasaw Nation be boarded with Capt. John Chisolm
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for items to equip Choctaw Nation delegates
*Henley, David	1795	Knoxville	Out	List of expenses and services rendered to the Federal Government that need to be settled
*Henley, David	1795	Knoxville	Out	Request for Capt. Chisolm to be compensated for expenses in maintaining and outfitting Chickasaw Nation delegates
*Henley, David	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for three saddles and other items necessary to equip Chickasaw delegates

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Parker, J.	1796	Philadelphia, PA	In	Letter of introduction for Harrison Almand

Tatom, Howell (Judge)	1798	Knoxville, Tn	Out	Concerning debt of David Allison
*Hayes, Robert (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Commissions Hayes to accompany a delegation of Chickasaws to Philadelphia
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for horses to equip Chickasaw Nation delegates
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for items to equip a delegate of the Chickasaw Nation
*Henly (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for items to equip Choctaw Nation delegates

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*Chisolm, John (Capt.)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Copy of orders to Chisolm acting as conductor of a party of Chickasaw and Choctaw delegates
*Chisolm, John (Capt.)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Orders concerning hiring of a boat to deliver goods for the Chickasaw and Choctaw Nations
*Hays (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Authorizing Hayes to pay for the hire of a horse for Malcolm McGee and then charge the amount to the Federal government

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NAME	YEAR	PLACE	INCOMING OUTGOING	SUBJECT
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Enclosing copies of orders to Blount authorizing him to purchase supplies for a conference with the Creek Nation at the Federal Government's expense.

*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for a white flag to be made and delivered to Tellico Plains for the Creek Conference
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Tellico Blockhouse	Out	Requisition for items to be given as gifts to the Creek delegates
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for two rifles to be purchased and presented to two Creek delegates as gifts
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for a rifle to be purchased and delivered to Alexander Cornell, Agent of the United States to the Creek Nation
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for items to outfit a hunting expedition
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for items to be given as presents to the Creek and Cherokee delegates at the Tellico Blockhouse Conference
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for a rifle be purchased for the King of the Tuckabatchees
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for a pair of brass mounted pistols to replace one that was stolen from a Cherokee delegate
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for some salt to be given to the Cherokee delegates as a present
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for iron to make horse shoes for the Creek delegates' horses
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Forwarding an account of guns purchased without formal requisitions
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for two beaver traps and fifteen pounds of tobacco to be given to the Creek and Cherokee delegates as presents

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*Chisholm, John (Captain)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Detailing instructions to Chisholm in an attempt to restore peace between the Chickasaws and the Creeks.
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for goods promised to two Chickasaws at Philadelphia
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Forwarding a copy of Blount's instructions to John Chisholm
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for thirty gallons of whiskey to give to the Cherokees as a gift
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for a rifle for a Cherokee chief

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*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Requisition and delivery statement for greatcoats for two Choctaw delegates
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1795	Knoxville	Out	Message concerning lodging and expense of Indian parties with Mrs. Chisolm
*Kelley, Allen and Sims, L.P.	1795	NG	Out	Copy of order for payment for service rendered the territory

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*NG	1795	Knoxville	Out	Statement of Blount and James Charter concerning spoiled beef meant for US troops

*[Henley, David (Colonel)]	1796	NG	Out	Expresses desire to be informed about status of requested items.
*Davidson, Samuel R.	1796	Knoxville	Out	Orders to permit Henley to oversee construction of structures at Tellico Blockhouse
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1796	Knoxville	Out	Order for Sergeant McCloud to accompany gifts for Cherokees and Choctaws down the river
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1796	Knoxville	Out	Order for structures to be built and goods delivered at Tellico Blockhouse
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1796	Knoxville	Out	Details method of transport of whiskey to Cherokee chief Little Turkey
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1796	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for board and horses for Cherokee delegates
*Henley, David (Colonel)	1796	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for supplies for Cherokee delegates

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*Henley, David (Colonel)	1796	Knoxville	Out	Enclosing a formal declaration of thanks to Henley
*McClellan, Samuel (Lieutenant)	1796	Knoxville	Out	Order to muster 30 militia men for protection of the frontier
*Rhea (Lieutenant)	1796	Knoxville	Out	Order to report with his men to Knoxville to be mustered out of service

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*Henley, David (Colonel)	1796	Knoxville	Out	Requisition for board or supplies for a group from the Chickasaw Nation

*Henley, David (Colonel)	1796	Knoxville	Out	Enclosing copies of orders to Lieutenants McClellan and Rhea
*Henley, David	1796	Knoxville	Out	Discusses accounts of Captain Richard and defers further Indian relations matters to Colonel McKee
*McClellan, Samuel (Lieutenant)	1796	Knoxville	Out	Order to muster 20 more militia men for protection of the frontier
*McKee, John (Colonel)	1796	Knoxville	Out	Passes responsibility for relations with the Indian nations to McKee

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NAME	YEAR	PLACE	INCOMING OUTGOING	SUBJECT
*Chisolm, John	1795	Knoxville	Incoming	List of materials and expenses for a journey to Philadelphia by four Chickasaw delegates
*Chisolm, John	1795	Knoxville	Incoming	Specifications for items needed for a journey to Philadelphia by four Chickasaw delegates
*Chisolm, John & Moore, David	1795	Knoxville	Incoming	Copy of contract to provide a boat for transport of goods belonging to the Chickasaw and Choctaw Nations
*Williams, S.	1795	Knoxville	Incoming	Account of expenses incurred escorting Choctaw delegates